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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 8038

BILL NUMBER: SB 471

DATE PREPARED: Feb 28, 2001

BILL AMENDED: Feb 27, 2001

SUBJECT: Prescribing Psychotropic Medication for Children.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill provides that a program established by the Indiana State Board of Nursing may not allow an advanced practice nurse to prescribe controlled substances. It also requires the Controlled Substances Advisory Committee to review the records maintained by the central repository for controlled substances designated by the State Police Department regarding the prescribing of psychotropic medications to children. The bill requires the report to contain specified information and to be filed with the Legislative Council, Governor, and Medical Licensing Board by December 1, 2001.

Effective Date: July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) The Indiana State Police (ISP) should experience minimal expenditures as a result of the bill. The ISP already maintains a central repository for controlled substances.

The Controlled Substances Advisory Committee would have increased expenditures for the preparation of the required report concerning the prescription of psychotropic medications to children for the Legislative Council, Governor, and Medical Licensing Board.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Health Professions Bureau, Controlled Substances Advisory Committee, Medical Licensing Board, State Board of Nursing, State Police, Legislative Council, Office of the Governor, Medical Licensing Board.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: